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TWO CENTS

LAST BATTLE.

It Has Been Fought
With Spain

Work of Translating
Spain's Answer.

It is Progressing as Rap-
idly as Possible.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Until long after midnight the secretaries of the French embassy were at work on Spain's answer to the terms of peace proposed by President McKinley.

The message was transmitted in cipher and the utmost care is being exercised in its translation so as to avoid all errors. From what is already known of the message it is certain that Spain has accepted the terms of peace.

In that event the war is practically over and will be brought to a close this week. There will be work for the army for many months to come in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, but the impression is strong that the last great battle with Spain has been fought.

IS CONTRADICTED.

Claimed Spain's Answer Has Not Reached Washington.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Secretary Long was asked when he was leaving the White House this afternoon if the president or the French embassy had received Spain's reply and he replied that nothing had been heard from Madrid relative to the peace proposition.

SPOILED BY RAIN.

Young People's Picnic at Berrien Springs

No Exercises Had Been Held Up to 2 p. m.

Berrien Springs, Aug. 3.—The attendance at the young people's picnic today was greatly decreased on account of the weather and the rain.

Four bands were present—Stevensville, Three Oaks, Berrien Springs and the Evening News Newsboys' band.

The business meeting was not held this morning and the rain that began immediately after dinner made impossible any exercises up to 2 o'clock.

Berrien Center defeated Three Oaks at baseball this morning. Score 9 to 3.

ARE COMING HOME

Roosevelt's Rough Riders Are Ordered North.

Washington, Aug. 3.—It is stated today that Col. Roosevelt and his rough riders have been ordered from Santiago to Montauk Point. They will come with Gen. Wheeler's cavalry on the first transport coming north.

Washington, Aug. 3.—All the companies of cavalry now in Cuba will return to the United States at once.

UPWARDS NOW.

Wheat Market is More Encouraging Again.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Wheat climbed up another cent today and closed at 67½; corn, 32½; oats, 21.

DON'T KNOW HIM.

Nebraska Fusionists Never Mentioned Bryan.

Lincoln, Nebr., Aug. 3.—The name of William Jennings Bryan was not mentioned in the gubernatorial convention of the allied silver forces held here today. Col. Bryan might have had the nomination had he desired it.

W. G. Poynter, who came to Nebraska from Rockford, Ill., a few years ago was nominated for governor.

Radiator of stovepipes.

A Frenchman has brought out a design which solves in a very simple way the difficulty often met with of securing on a cold day more than the ordinary amount of heat from a given stove. The vertical leg of the smoke flue, leading from the stove to the chimney, is traversed by two pipes, open at both top and bottom to the air of the room. Through these the air naturally circulates, becoming heated in its passage. The efficiency of the heating power of the stove is practically doubled by the addition to the heating surface of the radiating smoke pipe.

GLASS WORKERS THREATEN TO GO ON STRIKE

Workers and Employers Are 27
Per Cent Apart.

Pittsburg, Aug. 3.—The Flint glass manufacturers are confronted by one of the biggest strikes in the history of the trade. The wage conference was opened here this morning and when both sides presented their schedules there was a discrepancy of 27 per cent. The workers are sticking for their demand and the manufacturers declare that they will not pay the advance asked.

UNCLE SAM WILL KEEP BIG SQUADRON IN EUROPEAN WATERS

Washington, Aug. 3.—The naval officials are considering the formation of a big squadron to be stationed in European waters as soon as the war is over. The intention is to make the European squadron much stronger than ever before. It will probably consist of two battleships, one armored cruiser and other vessels.

A \$15,000 BLOCK.

New Addition to the City of
Benton Harbor.

Tonnellier Bros. Keep Local
Option Promise.

Polished Granite Column Will
Support Front.

Bay Windows Will Be Built of
Copper.

Ground Floor Will Be Lighted
by Prism Glass.

The new Tonnellier block on East Main street will be the finest business block in Benton Harbor. The plans are out for the building and the architects are now making specifications and as

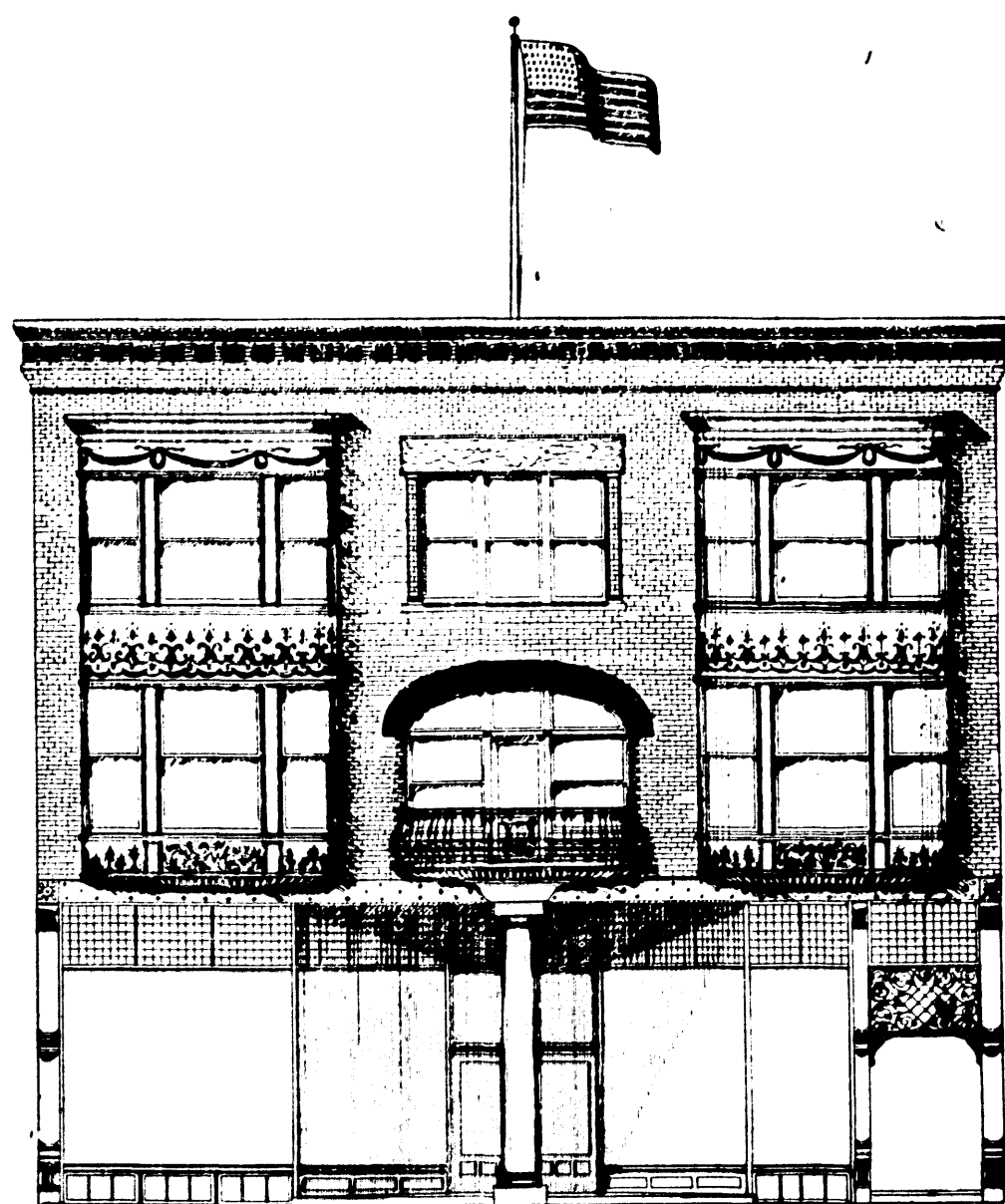
store—already rented—and the second and third floors will be finished into modern offices. The first floor will have its ceiling 16 feet above the floor, the second will be 11 feet high and the third 10 feet high.

The block will be heated by steam and have every modern convenience. It will have one feature that no other building outside cities like Chicago enjoys. The new and expensive prism lights will be used and the store will be the best lighted in Michigan. The prism lights are in use in several of the large Chicago stores and have done away with the use of artificial light in the interior of the store in daylight.

The column shown in the cut of the building will be of polished granite and will add to the beauty of the otherwise pretty structure. The cost is estimated at \$15,000. The plans and specifications are the work of Powers, Ireland & Co., and probably the work will be under their direction.

There is a little history connected with this building. When the local option campaign was on Tonnellier Brothers announced that they were about to build a block but would not do so if the prohibition measure carried. There was a promise of an opera house conditionally but as Tonnellier Brothers have not been able to buy the corner

THE NEW TONNELIER BUILDING.



FRONT ELEVATION.

TONNELIER BROS.

CHAS. LEMMON & CO., ARCHTTS.

soon as completed the work of the construction will be commenced.

The building will be 50x120 feet, three stories and a basement high. It will be constructed of red pressed brick with stone trimmings, with copper bay windows, a balcony built of stone, a steel store front, large plate glass windows and ornamented transoms. The first floor will be occupied by one large

lot on Main and Sixth street at what they count its value, the block without the opera house will be built.

THE WEATHER.

Generally fair tonight and Thursday. Warmer.

For diseases of the eye and ear, Dr. Rauschbaum, Preston block, St. Joseph.

Old papers for sale at this office.

\$1,000 CHECK.

Niles Avenue Man Is Made
Happy.

Pay for Chicago Street Car
Injury.

Andrew Gaskins, living on Niles avenue, was made happy yesterday by the receipt of a check for \$1,000 to settle injuries he suffered on a Chicago street railway three years ago.

The car suddenly stopped and Mr. Gaskins was thrown from his seat and thrown against a telephone pole with violent force. He was very seriously injured. He settled the case with the street railway company for \$3,000. Half of this went to his lawyer, the doctor who treated him took \$500 of the remaining half and Mr. Gaskins counts himself lucky to receive one-third of the amount paid by the street car company.

Tonight at the bicycle track, Lester & Kent's Moving Picture show. Admission 15c, children 10c.

Try Wallace Bros.' soda water.

Jackson's Gun Store

makes me weary to see how cheap bicycle are being sold in Benton Harbor this season. Next year they will not be worth more than \$1.75 for a great gross. A large hayrack full of all kinds of unredeemed bicycles at \$13, \$14.00 and \$15.00 each. 90 unredeemed watches of all kinds at ½ value. 96 gold rings of all kinds at 40 per cent on the dollar. Revolvers and shotguns, the largest stock and the lowest prices in either city. I will pay \$1.25 apiece for all the gold dollars that I can get. Will pay cash for OLD GOLD. Will buy the receiver's certificates of the First National bank. Will cash the time checks of the M. B. H. & C. R. R. Men's suits of clothing bought and sold.

I Loan Money on all kinds of Personal Property...

And I always have about 14 wagon loads of second-hand truck for sale. 16 second-hand sewing machines will be sold now. I will pay cash for good second-hand breech-loading shotguns; no muzzle loaders wanted. Headquarters for anything that shoots. Shotguns and rifles to hire by the day or week. A small cargo of gun powder just received, selling at 30 cents per pound. I have not advanced the price on any line of ammunition yet.

A Large Bankrupt Stock of Fishing Tackle for Sale.

Inspection invited at

JACKSON'S...

Dealer in Almost Everything,
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Of low prices that will pay you well to attend
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Glove Bargains

That cannot be duplicated when these are sold.

Ladies' Kid Gloves, all sizes, worth \$1.00, at 69c pr.
Ladies' Kid Gloves, Mocha, worth \$1.50 at 98c pr.

Fancy Hosiery

Plaids, Roman stripes, silk embroidered, fancy uppers, at
9c, 14c, 25c, 39c and 89c pr.
Men's Hose, Fancy Plaids in values 50c to 60c, at 39c pr.

Your choice from 100 all wool best Ingrain Rugs, 36x36, at 35c

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Thousands of yards of the newest and daintest wash goods reduced to positively less than mill prices,
15c and 18c Wash Goods.... 7c yd. | 12c and 15c Wash goods... 4c yd.

See our assortment of Stamped Linens and complete line of colors in Embroidery, Filo, Dresden and Rope Silks.

We are doing a phenomenally large Grocery business, because we are giving more goods for less money than can be had elsewhere.

1000 bars Castile Soap, 4 bars for 5c
5000 bars Fairbanks Dandy Soap, 13 bars for 25c
Eggs, 12c doz. XXXX Coffee, 10c. Bacon, 9c.
Extra fine Salmon. 3 cans for 25c.

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Sweet Block

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Caterers to those
who want the best.
Watch for our Sat-
urday announce-
ment...

Herr Bros.

Our Special Sale for July - - -

The best article for the price is none too good for you.
Here are a few of the things that will do you good to
look at

White piques, just the thing for the hot months, we
have them from 12½ to 25 cents.

Muslin and gauze underwear, our stock is complete.

Linen crash for skirts from 9c to 20c; all new.

Organdie lisse at 12½c.

Duodeen lawns, 38 inch wide, at 18c.

Organdie Mignonne, 30 inch wide, at 10c.

Imported Swiss organdies at 17c and 25c.

Ready made linen skirts from \$1 to \$2.

Tailor made mohair and wool skirts from \$1.50 to
\$4.50.

Suits, capes and jackets, all to close this month.
See them while the assortment is good.

The best assortment of shirt waists in the city. See
them, the styles and prices are right.

We have a number of short lengths of wool dress
goods, just the thing for skirts, to close at about half
price.

Our 19c and 25c summer corsets are the best shown
for the price.

James Pound

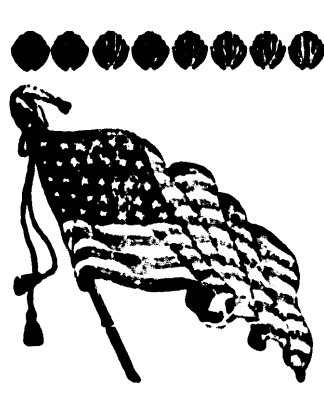
Hot Prices...

For Hot Weather

We are anxious to close out our entire line
of Trimmings and Flowers and offer a dis-
count of 50 per cent on these goods.

See our line of Sailors. The best assortment
of the latest styles in the Twin Cities.

..THE MISSES DALRYMPLE



Smoke "The Columbia," the cigar renowned,
Made in Benton Harbor, none better can be found,
Of choice tobacco made, everywhere today seen,
King of all, "Columbia" reigns supreme.
Each box under a guarantee is sold.

The delight of smokers, young and old,
Happy are they, who for "Columbia" call,
Elegant in flavor, a cigar surpassing all.

Columbia brand a reputation now has won,
On all sides pronounced "best" by everyone.
Look where you will, go where you may,
Unexcelled for 5c, "The Columbia" is today,
Merchants' delight, the mechanics' friend.
Buy "Columbia," on quality you can depend.
Insist on the best, for "Columbia" call,
A five cent cigar that surpasses all.

The Orin Cycle Co.



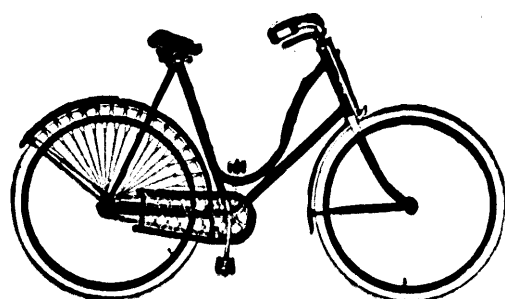
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KAISER AND HIS WIFE

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Memory of the Iron
Chancellor.

FUNERAL SERVICE AT THE SCHLOSS

Attended by Not More Than Forty Per-
sons, Among the Number the Emperor
and Empress—Old Castle Surrounded by
Thousands of People from Far and
Near—Condolence Received from Oom
Paul—Empress Frederick Sends a
Wreath, but Nothing Has Been Heard
from Victoria of England.

Friedrichsruhe, Aug. 3.—The grounds
about Prince Bismarck's castle were
thronged with people early yesterday,
crowds of Hamburgers being attracted
there by the prospect of seeing Emperor
William pay a tribute of respect to the
dead. They wandered about the woods,
congregated in the beer gardens, and
sent hundreds of memorial post cards
with portraits of the deceased prince
and pictures of the castle. Many of the
people were in mourning, and hundreds
came on bicycles. Under the trees sixty
men of the Thirty-first Infantry from
Altona, and the sergeants of Prince Bis-
marck's regiment from Madgeburg, had
arranged their messes. The sergeants
in their white uniforms with yellow fac-
ings and burnished helmets furnished a
guard which was on duty on the terrace
facing the garden behind the castle.

Arrival of the Imperial Party.
Vendors of cards, photographs and
medals swarmed about the outskirts of
the crowds, and waiters from the neigh-
boring beer gardens, bearing trays of
empty or filled glasses, circulated on all
sides, and did a big business among the
thirsty. There were only a few
gen d'armes present, but they were per-
fectly able to maintain order. When the
imperial train arrived here the crowds
were so anxious to see the emperor that
they swarmed over the fences and upon
the platform. The troops, however,
were able to keep a space clear around
the emperor's saloon carriage. The
presentations at the railroad crossing
where the Bismarcks received the em-
peror and empress consumed ten min-
utes, the emperor shaking hands with
Count Von Rantzau, the late prince's
son-in-law, and other relatives of the
deceased.

Ceremonies Were Very Private.

There was no cheering, but an uproar
was caused by the excited conversation
carried on among the crowds present.
What took place in the death chamber
is not known, though an official state-
ment on the subject may be forthcom-
ing. But there is no doubt the religious
service was most impressive. Pastor
Westphal, of Brunstorf, conducted it
according to the rites of the reformed
church. The text, in compliance with
Prince Bismarck's desire, was from the
First Epistle of Paul the Apostle to the
Corinthians, chapter xv, verses 53 to 57.
The mourners present including the im-
perial party, numbered from thirty to
forty persons. Immediately after the
service the emperor and empress and
party started for Berlin. The former
Empress Frederick sent a large laurel
wreath with palms, lilies and white
roses intertwined and tied with black.

DETAILS OF THE SERVICES.

They Were Very Brief and Simple—Kaiser
Denied Another Request.

It was a mournful procession that de-
filed into the death chamber. Prince
Herbert leading with the empress, and
the emperor following with Princess
Herbert, after whom came the privileged
members of the imperial suite and the
wife and daughter of Dr. Schwenecker,
and Baron Merck, in all about thirty
persons. Chairs were disposed
around the catafalque and Pastor
Westphal stood at the head of the coffin.
When their majesties entered all knelt
down around the coffin in silent prayer.
Then a hymn was sung and Pastor
Westphal delivered a discourse extol-
ing the deeds of the deceased prince.
Another hymn and the benediction
closed the simple ceremony, which
lasted twenty minutes. Their majesties
deposited beautiful wreaths on the cof-
fin and under the guidance of Prince
Herbert inspected the numerous floral
tributes.

It is said, that the emperor pressed
his desire to have a national funeral in
the Berlin cathedral. Prince Herbert,
however, still demurred, whereupon his
majesty said: "If this is not acceptable
I should like to place a memorial
sarcophagus, with a life-sized monu-
ment, in the cathedral." But to this
Prince Herbert replied that he could not
see how he would be acting in con-
formity with his father's instructions
by accepting it. Bismarck's body was
attired, not as was customary in uni-
form, but in ordinary grave clothing,
with a white neck cloth adjusted as he
used to wear it when not in uniform.
Dr. Schwenecker himself arranged the
body in a sleeping posture, lying on the
side. Roses were placed in the hands
by Countess Marie von Rantzau, the
daughter of Bismarck.

Two death-bed photographs were
taken—one solely for the members of
the family and the other for an illus-
trated life of Bismarck which it is be-
lieved Professor Franz von Lenbach,
the painter, will undertake. It is ex-
pected that the coffin will remain in the
death chamber until the mausoleum is
completed; or, if the sanitary authori-
ties object, it will be taken to the so-
called Tower House. Hamburg friends
have already subscribed 300,000 marks
to build the mausoleum. The wreaths
are extremely beautiful. That from
Count and Countess von Bismarck is
inscribed: "Bill and Sibyll." That
from the Bleichroders bank was so
large that it needed a whole carriage to
itself.

President Kruger, of the Transvaal
republic, telegraphed to Emperor Wil-
liam and to Prince Bismarck his con-
dolences, and announced that the govern-
ment flags at Pretoria, the capital, were
half-masted in honor of the deceased
statesman. The emperor and empress
remained forty-five minutes at the cas-
tle, and were escorted back to the train
by the entire Bismarck family. Brief
farewells were exchanged at the railroad.
The emperor, standing in his saloon
carriage, saluted the crowd, which re-

spectfully uncovered. Throughout the
service in the death chamber the em-
peror remained standing, the empress
being seated. The emperor shook hands
with Pastor Westphal, and Pinnow, the
valet of Bismarck.

FUSION FORCES OF NEBRASKA.

Democrats Cause a Deadlock by a Struggle
for Governor.

Lincoln, Aug. 3.—Nebraska's fusion
forces failed to make for themselves a
record for industry in their three state
conventions held yesterday. Beginning
shortly after 2 o'clock in the afternoon
an evening recess found them hardly
well begun, a permanent organization
and appointment of the customary com-
mittees being the sum total of the work
accomplished up to the night session.

It was nearly 8 o'clock when the night
session began, and two hours later the
report of the conference committee on
the division of the offices among the
three parties was received. It recom-
mended that the Populists be allowed
to name the head of the ticket (govern-
or), and that such other state officers
as had served acceptably be renom-
inated. There was opposition, but the
report was adopted in turn by each con-
vention. It means that the Populists
take every state officer except attorney
general, which goes to the Democrats.

The three conventions adopted plat-
forms which are all free silver, and then
proceeded to ballot for governor, the
Democrats disregarding the agreement
and putting up a candidate. The result
was a deadlock, which is not broken at
this writing.

INJUNCTION AGAINST "PICKETS."

One Feature of the Attempt of Oshkosh
Millmen to Start.

Oshkosh, Wis., Aug. 3.—Today was
the day set by the six manufacturing
concerns of the city, whose employes
are now on strike, to open their plants
after eleven weeks of idleness. With
the occurrences of several weeks ago in
mind, when an attempt was made to
operate without employing union men,
the millmen have petitioned the city,
through the mayor, for protection from
mob violence. They have called atten-
tion to the fact that some of them suf-
fered injury to their plants, both from
the fact that men have been detained
from going to work when they wished,
and from actual damage sustained
through outbreaks.

In addition to this it is said the man-
ufacturers will take steps to have an
injunction order issued restraining the
labor organization from maintaining its
regular force of pickets in the vicinity
of the mills. This will, if carried into
effect, be so constructed that the of-
ficials will have the authority to dis-
perse any gatherings in the vicinity of
the plants, on the ground that they are
violating the provisions of the injunc-
tion.

Scores on the Diamond.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Yesterday's League
scores at base ball were: At Louisville—
Boston 1, Louisville 1—twelve innings
darkness; at Cincinnati—New York 7,
Cincinnati 5; at Pittsburgh—Washington
0, Pittsburgh 2; at Philadelphia—Cleve-
land 9, Philadelphia 1; at St. Louis and
Chicago—Weather.

Western League: At Minneapolis—
Milwaukee 6, Minneapolis 2; at St. Paul
—Indianapolis 1, St. Paul 4; at Kansas
City and St. Joseph—Weather.

No Extra Session of Congress.

Washington, Aug. 3.—There will be no
extra session of congress, though the
senate will have to be called together
for prompt ratification of the treaty of
peace, if the present plans of the presi-
dent prevail. It is stated at the White
House that unless there should be some
extraordinary development the house
will not meet until it convenes in regu-
lar session next December.

One Killed, Fifteen Injured.

Winslow, A. T., Aug. 3.—A train was
wrecked near Holbrook, A. T., yester-
day. Ray Gooding, a son of the agent
of the Santa Fe at Kingman, was killed
and fifteen others were injured. The
disaster was caused by a broken rail.
One man was so seriously hurt that he
will probably die.

Present to Captain Phillips.

Galveston, Tex., Aug. 3.—A move is
on foot to present to Captain John
Phillips, of the battleship Texas, a sword
and a Bible. The money to pay for the
gift is to be contributed by the Sun-
day school children of Texas. No child
is allowed to give more than 5 cents.

Nothing Unlikely About That.

Madrid, Aug. 3.—It is reported here
that two Spanish steamers forced the
blockade in Cuban waters and were at-
tacked by the Americans.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Democrats win in Alabama as usual,
this time by 60,000 majority possibly.
James S. Washington, a lineal de-
scendant of George Washington, died
at Denison, Tex.

Twelve of the sixty striking Chicago
linemen have resumed their positions
and the places of the others are filled.

Thomas Brackett Reed, speaker of the
house, has just been nominated for the
twelfth time by his Maine constituents.

Democrats of the Seventeenth Illinois
district nominated by acclamation Ben
F. Caldwell, of Sangamon county, for
congress.

Five hundred mayors and other city
officials are attending the session of
the League of American Municipalities
at Detroit.

Victor Emanuel, Count of Turin, and
third in succession to the throne of
Italy, arrived in Chicago yesterday and
"took in the town."

Mrs. Eva Murry, of Little Rapids,
Wis., was accidentally shot in the face
by her niece, Elsie Hamilton, who didn't
know the revolver was loaded.

From advance proofs of the report of
the geological survey it is learned the
coal production of the United States in
1897 reached 200,221,665 short tons.

William Mather, a Cornell student
and son of Banker C. S. Mather, of
Utica, while asleep on the deck of a
yacht fell off into the river at Clayton,
N. Y., and was drowned.

Over \$2,000,000 worth of ammunition
thrown at the batteries defending San-
tiago harbor was absolutely harmless
in its effect, so far as the reduction of
the batteries was concerned.

Fred Kispert, of Menasha, Wis., is
charged with burglary preferred by his
divorced wife, Mrs. Roseblack. He was
caught by two officers after a lively
chase, during which his skull was
cracked with a club.

Scrofula

In its thousands of forms is the most ter-
rible affliction of the human race. Salt
rheum, sores, eruptions, boils, all humors,
swellings, etc., originate in its foul taint,
and are cured by the great and only True
Blood Purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla. The
advanced theory of today that tuber-
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blood, finds confirmation in the experi-
ence of many who have been cured by
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Hood's Pills cure sick headache. 25c.

It treats with you whether you continue the
nerve-killing tobacco habit, or if you want
to remove the desire for tobacco, with-
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stores lost manhood. 100 bottles
makes you strong. 100 bottles
in health, nerve, cases cured. Buy
and pocket. NO TO-BAC FROM
book. YOUR OWN DRUGGIST, who
will furnish for you, take it with
a will, put it in, persistently. One
box, 50c; usually cures 3 boxes, \$2.50.
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Call on me. My stock of Cas-
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"I have been troubled a great deal
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that I purchased another supply and was com-
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mend Cascarets whenever the opportunity
is presented."
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BIG FOUR EXCURSIONS.

On account of Crystal Springs camp
meeting at Pokagon, Mich., the Big
Four will sell tickets August 5 to 13,
good to return August 16, at \$1.00 for
round trip.

Account of K. of P. encampment at
Indianapolis, the Big Four will sell
tickets August 20, 21 and 22 at one cent
per mile, or \$3.95 for round trip.
Tickets limited for return to August 30
but by depositing ticket and payment
of 25 cents, tickets will be extended to
September 10. Anyone can take ad-
vantage of this cheap rate to visit their
friends.

To Indianapolis, Ind., August 8 and 9.

Round trip \$5.30.

To Pokagon, Mich., August 5 to 13.

Round trip \$1.00.

To Richmond, Ind., August 19 and 20.

Round trip \$6.15.

To Indianapolis, Ind., August 23,

account of K. of P. encampment, one
cent per mile.

To Cincinnati, O., Sept. 5-10. One

cent per mile. Account of G. A. R.

Encampment.

To Winona Lake, Ind., round trip

including admission to park, \$2.75.

Home Seekers' excursions August 2

and 6.

One way settlers' rates August 2

and 6.

For further information as to limits

of above excursions call on or address

L. G. Smith, agent C. C. & St. L.

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Vandalia Line Special Excursions.

Omaha, Neb., and return \$25.10, and
Kansas City and return \$24.30, on sale
from June 1 to October 15, account
Trans-Mississippi and International
Exposition.

Cincinnati, Ohio, September 5-10.
One cent per mile account G. A. R.
encampment.

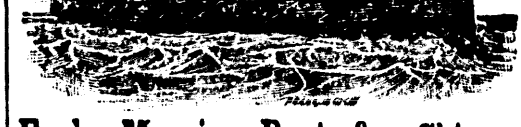
Indianapolis, Ind. One cent per
mile account K. of P. encampment be-
ginning August 23.

One way Settlers' rates to points in
south on first and third Tuesday of
each month.

Winona Lake, Ind., \$2.75 for round
trip including admission to park.

Calver, Ind., (Lake Maxinkuckee.)
Special excursion rates for season end-
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For rates, time and full information
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THIRD YEAR—NO. 877.

BENTON HARBOR, MICH., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1898.

TWO CENTS.

FAVOR PARK



Citizens Generally Delighted Over Prospect...

Citizens of Benton Harbor generally are delighted over the prospect of the city purchasing Double L gap and converting it into a public park. Much enthusiasm has been aroused over the question and if the matter were left to a vote of the people the park would be a sure thing.

BERRIEN SPRINGS. NEVER FLINCHED.

Andrew W. Mars Appointed Postmaster.

Fourth-class Michigan postmasters were appointed yesterday as follows: Berrien Springs, Berrien county, Andrew W. Mars, vice L. H. Marquisse, removed; Lakeside, Berrien county, Marion L. Wire, vice James A. Wilkinson, removed.

WANTS \$2,000 DAMAGES.

Lawsuit Started Against City of St. Joseph.

St. Joseph Press, Tuesday: Andrew J. Painter of Weesaw filed suit in the circuit court this morning through his attorney, Edward Bacon, of Niles, against the city of St. Joseph to recover \$2,000 damage for injuries received by being thrown from a sleigh on Port street January 28, last. After the laying of the sewer in various streets the contractor left the streets in certain parts of the city in very bad condition. Great humps and lumps were left everywhere. In turning the corner of Main and Port street in a sleigh, Painter ran into one of these humps, the sleigh was overturned. Painter was thrown out, his shoulder dislocated and other injuries inflicted.

He now sues the city for damages. The city thinks he should sue the contractor, but it does not make much difference against whom Painter gets judgment for the city in anticipation of the suit held back almost \$1,000 of the money due the contractor. This will be held now until the case is disposed of.

A STREET FRANCHISE.

Corunna Alderman After Street Car Company.

Corunna, Mich., Aug. 3.—City Attorney Richards presented a motion at the council meeting Monday evening instructing the Owosso & Corunna Traction company to either put their tracks in proper condition within thirty days or appear in court and protect their property, as the franchise would be annulled. Supt. Stoddard represented the company at the meeting. Mr. Stoddard thought considerable work had been done on the piece of track by the Derham farm, and said the rest of the track was in good shape. The aldermen talked as though they meant business. The whole council was of one opinion and their vote was unanimous. They thought that the company had imposed upon the city as long as they could stand it. Mayor Rosecrans was inclined to be a little lenient with the company and thought it would be a good idea to give the company a second notice. The meeting lasted till a late hour and was full of interest.

The State Fair.

The premium list for the Michigan state fair is out. The fair will occur September 26-30.

IT IS GROWING.

ATTENDANCE AT THE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE AT ST. JOSEPH.

Preparing Teachers for the Rigid Examination Now Required by the Strict State Law.

The attendance at the Teachers' institute at St. Joseph is increasing daily and Commissioner Clark expects that next week the enrollment will reach 150.

The institute is for the purpose of supplying the present demand for model work and instruction along academic lines. This is the result of the demand for better qualified teachers, the increasing desire to advance and the law compelling teachers of three years experience to secure a second grade certificate.

By the efforts of State Superintendent Hammond, ably seconded by the county commissioners throughout the state, teachers are securing a review of the subjects necessary for examination equal to that given by the best summer normal schools.

A teacher of Prang's system of drawing is expected next week. The exercises are varied each session by singing led by Mrs. Crossman of Benton Harbor, assisted by Mr. Eggert of Baroda, as accompanist.

A bicycle ride has been planned for some night during the week. Visitors are welcome at any time.

Tonight at the bicycle track, Lester & Kent's Moving Picture show. Admission 15c, children 10c.

Todd Will Be Renominated.

Albert M. Todd will be renominated for congress in the third Michigan district by the democrats. His campaign will be made on his record in congress.

You Will Be Collared If You Don't Watch Out.

For some time a prominent eastern house has been tempting us with a bargain so last week we took their bait and the goods have arrived.

This week we sell ladies four ply linen collars in five styles, the regular 15c kind at 10c.

Cuffs to match the regular 25c kind at 10c a pair.

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Come and see the moving pictures on the bicycle track tonight.

Michigan Pensions.

Michigan applicants granted pensions Monday: Original—Ferdinand A. Whelpley, Hoytville, \$8. Restoration and additional—Nelson Glover (dead), Hart, \$8 to \$12. Widows—Minors of Oliver Butterfield, Detroit, \$14.

Have you seen the war pictures at the bike track? Go and see them tonight if you have not. Admission 15c, children 10c.

Probate Court.

Jesse Jones filed and settled his accounts as executor of the estate of Sanford L. Jones, deceased, and order distributing said estate entered.

Will of Mary A. Cook, deceased, admitted to probate and Martha C. Keice appointed executrix of said estate.

Petition filed by Eugene C. Howe for the appointment of Ezekiah J. Howe as administrator of the estate of Frances H. Burnham, deceased. Hearing set for August 29 at 10 a. m.

Benjamin F. Fish appointed administrator of the estate of Edwin R. D. Howard, deceased.

Excursion.

The ladies of the Christian church will give an excursion to Chicago next Tuesday night, August 7. The ladies will sell tickets and everybody is invited to take advantage of the cheap rate. 87765

GARBAGE NOTICE.

Do Not Dump It on East Main Street.

Parties are warned not to dump garbage on East Main street near Ox Creek. The health of the city demands that no decaying matter should be deposited in this neighborhood and offenders will be made to pay the penalty. G. M. BELL, M. D., Health Officer. 51876

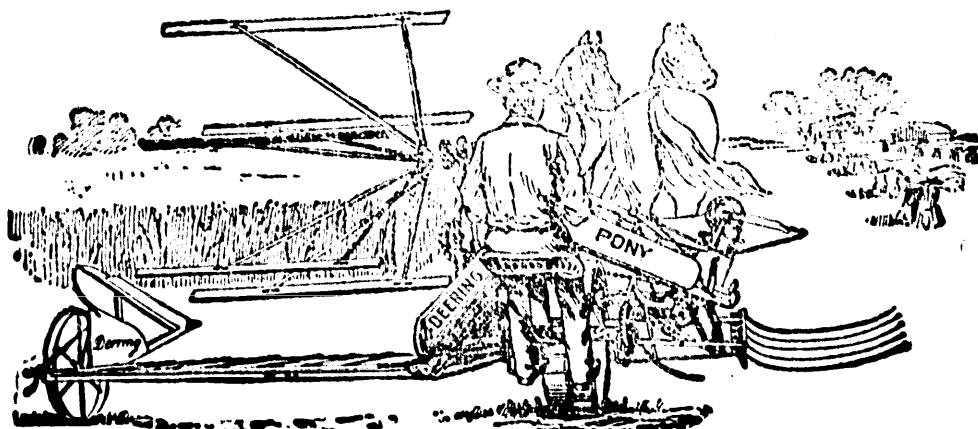
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The Original Declaration of Independence

The original Declaration of Independence is in so dilapidated a condition that nowadays it is rarely if ever exposed to public view. The Ladies' Home Journal was recently granted special permission by the secretary of state to make a single exposure of the document to the camera, and will reproduce the photograph, which is a remarkably clear one, in the July issue of that magazine. Exposure to light and the process of making a duplicate copy of the declaration have faded the ink in the historic document, but it is still legible. Some of the signatures are nearly faded out. John Hancock, however, seems to have used an imperishable ink, for his name stands black and bold on the parchment, which is now kept in a steel safe, out of the sunlight and out of the public's view.

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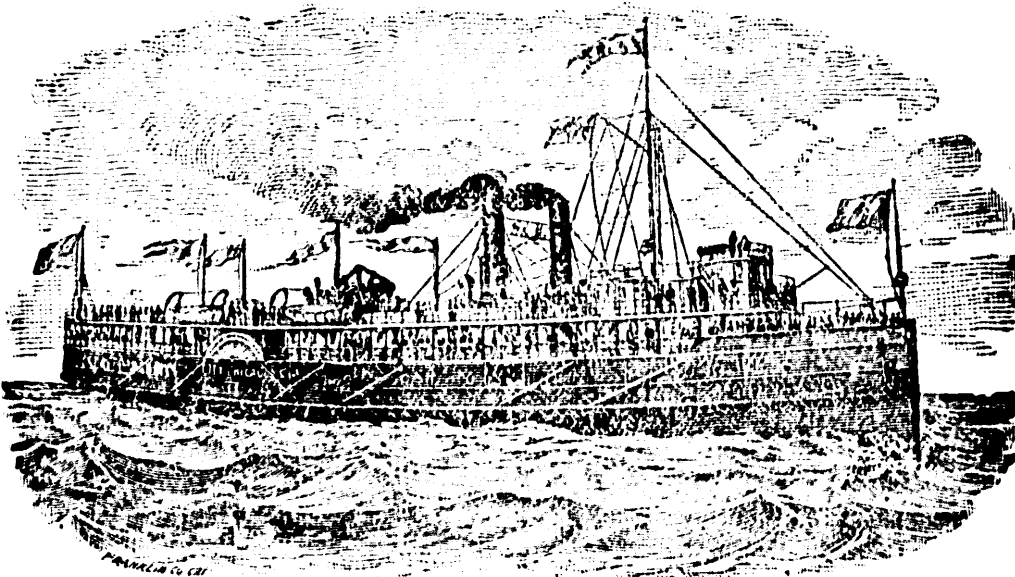
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"I have never considered it necessary, and I am sure that a great majority of officers in the navy do not consider it necessary to announce to their crews that they believe in Almighty God. I think that goes without saying. We, each of us, have the right to show by our acts how much we are imbued with this belief. Capt. Philip had a perfect right to show this to his men as he did; it was simply a matter of taste.

"Now, for myself. Shortly after the Spanish cruiser Vizcaya had struck her colors, and my crew had secured the guns, the chaplain of the ship, an excellent man, came to me and said: 'Captain, shall I say a few words of thanks to Almighty God for our victory?' I said: 'By all means do so; I will have the men sent aft for that purpose,' and

was on the point of doing so when it was reported to me that a Spanish battleship was standing toward us from the eastward.

"My first duty to God and my country was to sink this Spanish battleship, and I immediately made preparations to do so. When it was discovered that this ship was an Austrian, I found my ship surrounded by boats carrying dying and wounded prisoners, and others of the crew of the Vizcaya to the number of 250. To leave these men to suffer for want of food and clothing while I called my men aft to offer prayers was not my idea of either Christianity or religion. I preferred to clothe the naked, feed the hungry, and succor the sick, and I am strongly of the opinion that Almighty God has not put a black mark against me on account of it. I do not know whether I shall stand with Capt. Philip among the first chosen in the hereafter, but I have this to say in conclusion, that every drop of blood in my body on the afternoon of the third of July was singing thanks and praise to Almighty God for the victory we had won."

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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1898.

THE Niles avenue gentleman who settled with a street car company for \$3,000, paid his lawyer and doctor and had \$1,000 left, is a lucky fellow. The lawyers in Chicago must be honest and the doctors generous.

THE matter of a franchise for the electric road from South Bend to this city came before the Niles council last night. It was laid over as one of the aldermen thought it might interfere with the hay crop in the streets of Niles.

PRINCE Bismarck before his death wrote the epitaph he wished upon his sepulchre. It was short and simple and read, "Prince von Bismarck, a faithful German servant of Emperor William II." The enduring strength of the inscription is not alone its simplicity but its perfect truth. There are few men always faithful to their trust and Bismarck was one of that few.

No greater compliment could be paid to the Benton Harbor board of trade and business men generally than that which the St. Joseph council paid last night. The St. Joseph legislative body met for the purpose of improving the highways leading to St. Joseph, especially the Hickory Creek hill, and the argument was advanced that Benton Harbor was getting all the Royalton trade on account of the new bridge. Somebody has stated that the \$15,000 put in the highway bridge was thrown away. St. Joseph business men know from experience that the bridge is worth all it cost and the position of the board of trade in the matter is vindicated.

Queen Wilhelmina.
There is no longer any doubt that Wilhelmina, queen of the Netherlands, is engaged to marry Prince Bernhard of Saxe-Weimar, who is now 20 years of age and the second son of the late hereditary Prince of Weimar. The young queen has lately been in Paris seeing the sights and selecting a trousseau. Her dresses, rides in the Bois and goodness of face and character have been items of interest in the Paris journals. They deem it significant that she shops in Paris instead of Berlin and believe the future queen a valuable person to cultivate.

Thoughtful to the Last.
"Didn't your absconding cashier leave you any message?"
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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address
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Six Nation Medicine company, the largest in the world, will open for one week on the East Main street show grounds, Monday, July 31.

Prof. L. Denny, a noted chiropodist, is at Hotel Benton, where he is removing corns, bunions, warts and ingrowing nails. All work done without pain. New French method of chiropody and manuring. Mayor Brant and others recommend him. 12-862

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T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of Myer's Cure for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by G. M. Bell & Co. Druggists, Benton Harbor, 103 Main street.

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DOGS HAVE REPLIED.

London Hears That the Spanish Reply to the Peace Terms Left Madrid Monday.

SAID TO BE FAVORABLE TO PEACE.

Report That Sagasta Has Accepted the President's Proposals.

Washington Has Nothing Official Except the Text of the Terms Sent to Spain—Anxiety in Official Circles Over the Situation in the Philippines, Where the Natives Are Likely to Make Trouble at Any Moment—Camp Alger To Be Evacuated.

London, Aug. 3.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily News says: "The government's reply to the American peace terms left here Monday evening. Official silence is, however, complete."

New York, Aug. 3.—A special to The Evening Journal from Madrid, published in an extra edition of that paper, says: "Spain accepts the principal conditions of peace as set forth by the American government, and only the peace details are needed to cause all hostilities to cease at once."

Washington, Aug. 3.—Shortly before midnight Secretary Alger, as he left the White House after a conference with the president, said that unofficially the president had been informed that the Spanish ministry had acceded to the terms of this country for a cessation of the war. This has reached the president in the form not only of press dispatches but of private dispatches from confidential agents of the United States government.

While this government has strong reasons for believing that its terms of peace have been agreed to by the Madrid government the president is taking nothing for granted.

War Preparations Go Right Along.
Arrangements for pressing the war to a successful conclusion are going forward precisely as if no negotiations for peace were in progress. At a conference participated in by the president, Secretary Alger and Adjutant General Corbin at the executive mansion last night a final decision was reached as to the constitution of the provisional corps for Porto Rico, to be commanded by General Wade. The regiments which are to comprise the corps were decided upon and will be designated in a general order to be issued probably today. Secretary Alger said that the corps might be en route to Porto Rico within a week. Notwithstanding these warlike preparations the belief in official circles last night amounts almost to a conviction that active hostilities practically have been concluded.

End of the War Is Near.
A prominent official of the administration said last night: "The end is near, in my opinion. The information thus far received is unofficial and meager, but that it is accurate in the main we have no reason to doubt. In fact, we have reason to believe it is correct." Ambassador Cambon, who is conducting the negotiations for the Spanish government, did not communicate so far as could be ascertained with the president last night, and it is not probable that the official response to the terms proposed by the United States has yet reached the French ambassador. Upon its receipt it will be transmitted to the president without delay. In the event of Spain's acceptance of the terms proposed by this country the first step probably will be towards an agreement to close active hostilities—an armistice—pending the drafting of a treaty of peace along the lines of the accepted terms.

Commission to Draft the Treaty.
After the proclamation of an armistice, diplomatically the next step would be the designation by the president of the commissioners to represent the United States in the conduct of the final negotiations of peace. The terms proposed by this government provide for a joint commission to draft a peace treaty and to solve the difficulty relative to the future government of the Philippines. This joint commission would probably meet upon neutral ground. It has been suggested that the commission may assemble in Paris, but yet that is the merest conjecture. The commission might meet in either of the belligerent countries.

TEXT OF THE TERMS OF PEACE

As Proposed by the Washington Government—Trouble in the Philippines.

As a matter of record it may be well to give the official statement of the terms of peace offered to Spain, as announced by the president's order yesterday, as follows:

"The president does not now put forward any claim for pecuniary indemnity, but requires the relinquishment of all claims of sovereignty over or title to the island of Cuba, as well as the immediate evacuation by Spain of the island; the cession to the United States and the immediate evacuation of Porto Rico and other islands under Spanish sovereignty in the West Indies; and the like cession of an island in the Ladrones. The United States will occupy and hold the city, bay and harbor of Manila, pending the conclusion of a treaty of peace which shall determine the control, disposition and government of the Philippines. If these terms are accepted by Spain in their entirety, commissioners will be named by the United States to meet commissioners on the part of Spain for the purpose of concluding a treaty of peace on the basis above indicated."

The officials here make no concealment of their apprehension of serious trouble to follow the execution of our programme in regard to the Philippines. The reports of the military and naval commanders of late have contained warnings of expected conflicts with the insurgents, and no surprise will be felt at the receipt of news of an outbreak at almost any moment. The United States government feels that it has assumed a moral obligation towards

not only the foreign residents at Manila, but towards the unprotected classes of the Spanish community—women, children, nuns and priests. Therefore when intimidation came that the insurgents were threatening the lives of some helpless monks orders were sent to the American military commander to look into the matter and to act in the interest of civilization and humanity.

Some reports which have been received from Porto Rico, but which for political reasons cannot be made public, have given great satisfaction to the officials of the war department, since they go to show that the resistance which can be made by the Spanish troops will be very little, and it is even possible that General Miles will achieve an almost bloodless victory. It has been suggested with some plausibility that the Madrid government, realizing the impendency of peace and the lack of loyalty towards the monarchy of the mass of Porto Ricans, has allowed the Spanish garrison of the island to understand that they are not expected to sacrifice their lives in useless resistance to superior force, so that all that is to be expected is to be a rather formal opposition to the progress of General Miles' triumphal march across the island.

MANY SICK AT SANTIAGO.

Shafter Now Caring for 6,000, Including Spaniards—Sunday's Report.

Washington, Aug. 3.—General Shafter's health reports yesterday state that he is now caring for over 6,000 sick people, including Spanish soldiers, many of whom were found to be very ill. The task is a formidable one and the attempt to care for all hands probably explains in a measure the lack of adequate preparation of the transports employed in bringing home some of the wounded and sick. General Shafter's sanitary report for Sunday, received yesterday, is as follows: Total sick, 4,255; total fever, 3,164; new cases of fever, 655; cases of fever returned to duty, 722.

Deaths on July 31: Private J. Kolling, company H, Thirty-third Michigan, yellow fever; Private Samuel J. Powers, troop F, Second cavalry, yellow fever; Sergeant Charles A. Coons, company H, First infantry, typhoid malaria; Private Louis Kocarnik, battery F, Fourth artillery, gunshot wound of chest and heart, evidently suicidal; Private F. J. Vivian, company D, Thirty-fourth Michigan, remittent malarial fever; Private John A. McDonald, company D, Thirty-fourth Michigan, remittent malaria fever.

Camp Alger, Va., is to be abandoned by the war department, and the 20,000 men there are to be removed to a more healthful locality near Manassas, Va. This determination was reached by Secretary Alger yesterday as a result of recommendations made to him by Surgeon General Sternberg, of the army, who believes in frequent changes of camping grounds of large bodies of men, and because of the rapid spread of and constantly increasing mortality from typhoid fever. Manassas is about forty miles south from Washington, is near a mountainous country, and the town proper is on the line of direct railroad communication with the capital city.

FIFTH ILLINOIS IS HAPPY.

Gets Orders to Start for Newport News to Join Grant's Brigade.

Chickamauga Park, Ga., Aug. 3.—The Fifth Illinois infantry, which was heretofore twice ordered to the front and as many times ordered back into camp, received final orders from the war department yesterday afternoon to proceed to Newport News, there to report to Brigadier General Fred Grant for embarkation with his brigade to Porto Rico. Colonel Culver, commanding this regiment, naturally felt greatly relieved, as did all of the officers and men, and there was general rejoicing in the regiment. This command left Camp Thomas before daybreak this morning, marching to the Ringgold station on the Western and Atlantic railway. This is the only regiment that received moving orders yesterday. General Breckinridge thinks the moving orders henceforth will be on the basis of representing all state proportionately at the front.

But the recent insubordination in the Fifth Illinois is not to go unnoticed except by promotion, as it were. Colonel Culver has announced that every non-commissioned officer who took part in the demonstration last week after the regiment was recalled will be reduced to ranks. This work is to be commenced at once and new men appointed in their places. Colonel Culver says his regiment has had a good reputation for years and he intends to sustain it. He added: "I have ordered all of those non-commissioned officers reduced, that is, those who were absent without leave. I judge there were about a dozen of them. The other men who are guilty of being absent without leave will be fined by the field court."

CANNOT GOVERN THEMSELVES.

Senator Jones' Opinion of Spanish-American Communities—Case of Cuba.

St. Louis, Aug. 3.—Senator James K. Jones, of Arkansas, chairman of the national Democratic committee, who was in the city conferring with prominent members of his party, had this to say concerning our foreign policy before he left for New York: "I do not know what conditions may arise respecting Cuba, but I have never known a Spanish-American community capable of self-government, and it is possible that since we set out to free Cuba from Spanish domination we may be compelled to pursue a course which will eventually be in the control of the island. While I am not in favor of the acquisition of territory in the tropics this course would be less objectionable than any other."

"Cuba is adjacent to the United States, as is Porto Rico, but the thought of annexing the Philippines is preposterous, undemocratic and not in accordance with the principles handed down from the days of Thomas Jefferson. We began this war to secure the independence of Cuba and nothing more. When we have accomplished that end and Spain has indemnified us for the enormous war expense our mission will be done."

Rain Helps the Corn Crop.
Springfield, Ill., Aug. 3.—A very heavy rain fell yesterday afternoon and last night. It has done great good, and the corn crop, which bid fair to be a failure, now promises well. The rain was quite general in this section.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

THE democratic congressional convention will be held at Three Rivers August 25.

THE ladies' aid society of the Christian church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Sparks, Lake avenue.

WILLIAM Clauser while fishing in the St. Joseph river yesterday, caught a catfish which weighed 26½ pounds.

THE Y. M. C. A. will run an excursion to Somerleyton Saturday evening. The fare will be 25 cents for the round trip including ice cream at the resort.

THE Y. M. C. A. and ladies' aid will serve ice cream and cake this evening in the empty store in the Sweet block from 6 o'clock until 8. The proceeds are to be used in sending literature to the camps.

THE Sunday school class of Mrs. O. B. Osborne and Mrs. Getig of the Christian church will give an ice cream social at the home of Mrs. O. B. Osborne, 120 Vineyard avenue, next Saturday afternoon and evening.

W. P. ROBBINS left for Grand Haven this morning and will return tomorrow with the remains of his brother, Capt. Robbins. Capt. Robbins' daughters went to Grand Haven last night. The burial of the captain will occur here.

MICHAEL & Beeny, the grocers, have found it necessary to have more room for their growing business and have rented the Mudge store adjoining them on the corner of Pipestone and Britain, which will be used as a flour and feed warehouse.

CHIEF Hepler yesterday received a postal card from a hobo who was recently arrested here for sleeping in a box car. He addresses Mr. Hepler as "Dear Chief" and then goes on with a fierce attack upon the "swindling merchants of the city."

LAKE Shore lodge of Masons are requested to meet at their hall, at 10 a. m. tomorrow to go to St. Joseph to accompany the remains of Capt. Robbins to the grave. The services will be under the direction of the Occidental lodge, of which he has been a member for many years. By order of W. M.

SIR Knights A. A. Covell and J. O. Rowe have already the assurance that twenty-five uniformed Knights of Pythias will accompany the excursion to Indianapolis. Capt. Freestone has issued an invitation to all the members of the Puritan lodge to accompany the uniformed knights as their guests.

C. T. LESTER, the moving picture man who was injured by a runaway ten days ago, is still unable to leave his bed and it will be a month before he is able to do so. Mr. Lester will be removed to Chicago on a cot in a few days. Mr. Lester will investigate the case and see if someone is not responsible for the injuries he received.

CAMP Alger is to be abandoned and the troops sent to a camp near Manassas, a much more healthful location. It is understood that the change will only be temporary. A part of the troops may be sent to Porto Rico. Manassas is about forty miles south of Washington and in the new location the troops will occupy much more area than at present.

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Here is a good story of the author of "The Deserted Village:" Hearing of Dr. Goldsmith's great humanity, a poor woman, who believed him to be a physician, once wrote to him begging him to prescribe for her husband, who had lost his appetite and was altogether in a very sad state. The kind hearted poet immediately went to see her, and after some talk with the man found him almost overwhelmed with sickness and poverty.

"You shall hear from me in an hour," said the doctor on leaving, "and I shall send you some pills which I am sure will do you good."

Before the time was up Goldsmith's servant brought the poor woman a small box, which, on being opened, was found to contain 10 guineas, with the following directions: "To be used as necessities require. Be patient and of good heart."—Christian Work.

Teaching the Parrot.

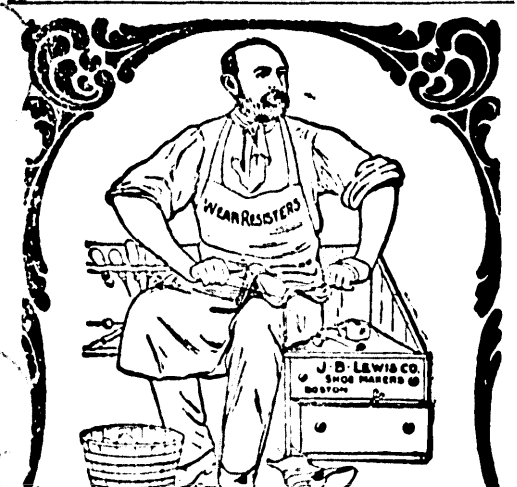
Owners of these interesting birds must remember that if they wish them to talk well the best time to teach them is in the evening, with the cage covered over and placed in a dark room and the teacher enunciating the words slowly and distinctly and persistently. The natives of India consider that a slight operation upon the bird's tongue is necessary before it will speak easily.

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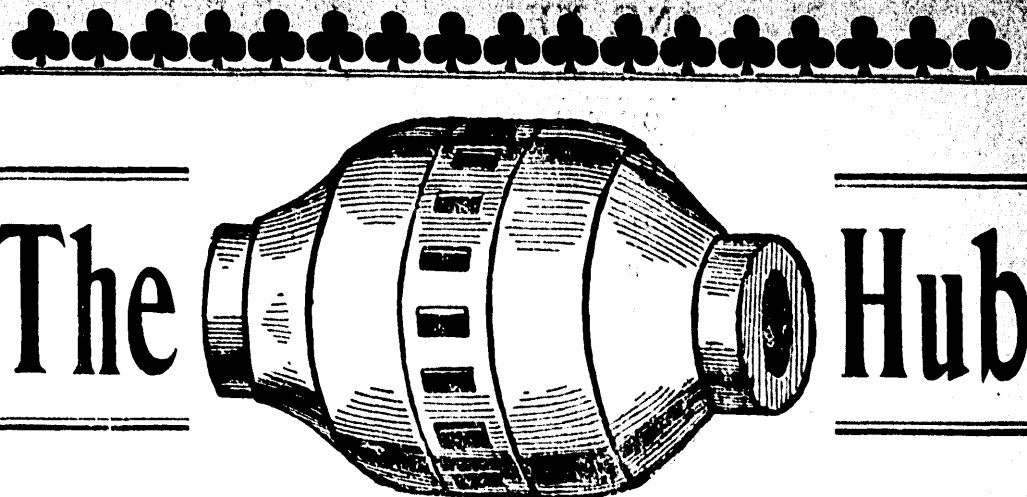
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LIFE IN A WARDROOM

THE OFFICERS' QUARTERS ON BOARD A MAN-OF-WAR.

Where All Except the Commander Eat, Live and Have Their Social Being—Naval Etiquette Isolates the Man Whom All Others on Board Must Obey.

The wardroom on a man-of-war is the living place of all the older officers of the ship, with one exception, the commanding officer. He lives by himself, has his own cabins, his own mess, his own servants. Naval etiquette and custom have established this habit of isolation for the man on the ship who has command of all the rest. The reason is undoubtedly to be found in the very fact that he represents extraordinary power. Under these circumstances any attempt to forget the superiority of his rank by means of a common cabin or messroom for him and his subordinates would only result in embarrassment on both sides.

This does not mean that he may not be sociable, for much depends upon the man. But it is safe to say that any show of offensiveness among those who live aboard the mast must come from his side, if he wishes it to be general. The situation is a delicate one.

In the free air of the wardroom we find from 10 to 20 officers living together, the number varying with the size of the ship. Their ages may range from 25 to 50, and they are of all ranks above that of naval cadet, and of all corps. Engineer officers, line officers, medical officers, marine officers, one pay officer and one chaplain, may all be included in the wardroom of a large ship. These men live in staterooms arranged about a common space, which is known as the "wardroom country." This assumption of a space of prairie-like dimensions is comparatively truthful in the cramped quarters of a ship. In this "country" exists the social life of the wardroom. Here these men of varied callings, yet all of the sea's following, live, move and have their social being.

A day spent in a wardroom by a land-lubber would reveal many interesting differences between naval officers and their brethren on shore. To begin with, they are more cosmopolitan in their speech. The men in our wardrooms are gathered together from all parts of the Union. Local discussions find but an uninterested audience, or even a derisive one, so that a naval officer gets accustomed to speak and think of all the 45 states as belonging equally to him. Outside of his own country he is so great a traveler that very few civilians can keep up with the way he skips in conversation from China to Peru or to Tasmania. Other characteristics that are quickly noticeable are his simplicity, his cheerfulness and his heartiness. The wardroom is constantly resounding with laughter. The men in it are healthier than men who live in houses. They get up earlier in the morning and go to bed earlier at night. Most of our wardrooms are bustling with officers at 7 o'clock in the morning.

A glance at the breakfast table shows the senior line officer presiding, and the other officers placed near him according to rank. At the other end of the table is the man who has been elected by his messmates to direct the catering of the mess. Between this early meal and the breakfast proper, which comes at half past 11 or 12 o'clock, there is not much life in the wardroom, for the daily military routine is full of drills and exercises which keep most of the officers on deck. There are drills with great guns and with small arms, drills in clearing ship for action, drills in handling ammunition and many others—all of them rooted in the one idea that you must preserve your own life by destroying that of your enemy.

As soon as an officer returns to the wardroom from one drill and begins a conversation or perhaps hums a song he is interrupted by the bugles on deck and must buckle on his sword and return to another drill.

At every call to quarters all officers must report themselves ready for duty. The chaplain and paymaster, having much less to do with drills than the other officers, are usually the first to be back in the wardroom, where there is other work for them. The medical officer has gone forward to the sick bay to look after his patients.

When the midday breakfast comes, there is the first breathing space for a little leisure and relaxation. But the drills for the day are not yet over, and at 1 o'clock the bustle is resumed throughout the ship. A sudden call may come for collision drill, or fire drill, or battalion drill. If at sea, a floating target may be dropped overboard, and for an hour the ship be shaken from stem to stern by the discharge of guns. From 3 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon there is generally a respite from work, and the wardroom begins to show signs of being a home. Some in it are reading or writing, others are smoking or playing games or loafing. Still others are in their rooms taking the seaman's afternoon nap. But at 5 o'clock the drills and exercises come again.

By 6:30 o'clock there is a feeling that one can sit down and dine without fear of interruption. The mess as a whole is now gathered together, and the meal is generally a thoroughly enjoyable and delightful affair. After it is over there are cigars, games, music, or the right to withdraw within oneself without exciting remark. By 10 o'clock most of these sailors are in bed, but even now the drills may sound, and in two minutes all the ship's company be rapidly making ready for an enemy.—New York Post.

It is strange to notice how many old classical expressions still survive in Tuscan. The people still swear "By Bacchus!" and "By Diana!" just as we do "By Jove!" and "By the gods!" "Tom, Dick and Harry" they say "Tina, Caine and Sempronius."

HOT BLOOD IN CAMP.

ARMY QUARRELS THAT ALMOST ENDED IN TRAGEDIES.

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"Tragedies in our own camps, outside of battles, were more common than the public knows," said a distinguished soldier.

"The shooting of Major General Nelson at Louisville by Brigadier General Jeff C. Davis because Nelson in a fit of anger had called Davis a long string of hard names, is one of the few that came to the surface. You wouldn't think it probably, but I myself was once so close to a tragedy that it makes my gray hair rise up as I recall it.

"While a number of officers of the regiment were in the major's tent I said something that a captain took exception to, and a war of words followed. When he plumped out, 'You are a liar!' I struck out with my right and set him to bleeding. He came back at me like a tiger cat. We clinched and for three or four minutes had it hot and sharp; then the others separated us. He made all sorts of threats. I was adjutant. He ranked me, and I confess that for a time I did fear he would make me trouble in the way of court martial, but the matter seemed to blow over.

"One fall afternoon the captain invited me to take a walk with him. Thinking that our troubles had completely healed, I consented. On the way back to camp we passed through an orchard. I climbed a tree to get some apples. Just as I reached for an apple I saw the captain reach for his revolver and glare at me like a very fiend. Instantly I loosened my hold and dropped to the ground. Seizing a stake, I took my place by his side and said, 'Now, you cowardly dog, put up that gun or I'll brain you.' This time he was kept on a hot griddle for a month, though I made no threats and had no thought of reporting his attempt to assassinate me.

"The next fight we got into we made up for good and all and remained fast friends until the final round up, when General Joe Johnston had his men throw down their guns and go home to 'make a crox.' It happened in this way: The colonel had given the order to form line of battle. As adjutant it was my duty to see that each captain carried out the order. When I reached the would-be assassin and had performed my duty and started to go away, he called out, 'Adjutant, come back.' When I complied, he took my hand, looked me squarely in the eye and said: 'Lieutenant, can you forgive me for all of my meanness to you? I hope so. I have never had a good hour since that incident in the orchard.'

"With all my heart, captain. No one but you and myself knows anything about that little affair."

"As I said, nothing else came up to separate us while in the army. We never met after being mustered out. He died three years ago. Of course I could have sent him out of the army in disgrace and placed him in the penitentiary after he was out, but I've always been glad I did not. He was a good soldier in battle, as brave as they made them, but a buldog in camp. He left the army a major. His name? Never mind that. It is a true story. I wish it were not, for I cannot forget that at one time in my life I was in a fair way to be murdered."

"Report to your headquarters under arrest, sir."

The colonel of a western regiment hissed that remark to his lieutenant colonel as he dismissed the parade one evening in December, 1864, a few miles back of Petersburg.

"I refuse to go, d— you," was the reply.

"Adjutant, see that Lieutenant Colonel Blank goes to his quarters at once," said the angry colonel, who was in the right, for the lieutenant colonel, who had been drinking, had disobeyed orders.

The adjutant knew both officers well, and that it would not do for them to come together that night. He had a merry time of it keeping them apart. The lieutenant colonel would jump up and start for the cabin door with a threat to go to the colonel's quarters and cut him down with his sword. He was a powerful man, able to carry out his threat unless the colonel should get the drop. Once the arrested officer got away and was half way to the colonel's cabin, with sword drawn. "Stop, man," said the adjutant. "Would you blot your record of three years by committing murder? Think of that. Think of your wife and children. Come back to your quarters. You shall not go a step further in that direction until you have killed me."

"I don't want to kill you, but I'm going to kill the colonel."

"All right, kill him, but wait until tomorrow—until it is light. Don't shoot a man in the dark. That is no way for a brave man to do."

He went back to his bunk and slept until morning. When he awoke, he came to me and said:

"How can I get out of this scrape, adjutant?"

"Write the colonel an apology."

He wrote it, and the adjutant took it to the colonel, who read it, laughed and said, "Bring Colonel Blank to my quarters." They met like a pair of brothers, and to this day the adjutant believes that he prevented an army tragedy, and I guess he did.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Safe Guardian.

"Do you like candy, mamma?" asked 4-year-old Bessie.

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The editor of the Evans City, Pa., Globe writes: "One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It cured my children after all other remedies failed." It cures coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

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In effect June 19, 1898.

GOING SOUTH.
Stations. a. m. p. m. p. m. p. m.
Grand Rapids..... 3:15 7:30 3:40 6:55
Benton Harbor..... 3:32 10:53 6:05 9:40
St. Joseph..... 3:42 11:33 6:14 9:50
Chicago..... 7:30 2:10 9:05

GOING NORTH.
Stations. a. m. p. m. p. m. p. m.
Chicago..... 7:30 4:15 8:45

St. Joseph..... 10:30 7:15 11:35 8:45
Benton Harbor..... 10:39 7:25 11:42 8:50
Grand Rapids..... 1:25 10:30 2:10 9:10
p. m. p. m. a. m. a. m.

DETROIT, G.D. RAPIDS & WESTERN R. R.
Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:00 a. m., 1:15 p. m. and 5:35 p. m. For Saginaw at 7:10 a. m. and 4:20 p. m. Parlor cars on all trains; seats 2 cents.

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No. 23 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 25 leaves at 1:00 p. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 27 leaves at 6:00 p. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. Arrive at Benton Harbor: No. 23, 8:50 a. m.; No. 25, 9:10 a. m.; No. 27, 10:10 a. m.

VANDALIA LINE
TIME TABLE.
Taking effect June 19, 1898.

SOUTH BOUND
Stations. No. 3. No. 7. No. 15. No. 17.
St. Joseph..... 10:25 a. m. 4:00 p. m. 5:20 p. m. 6:00 p. m.
South Bend..... 5:13 6:18 7:20

Plymouth..... 12:30 p. m. 5:57 7:33 8:10
Logansport..... 2:15 7:15 9:00 9:45
Indianapolis..... 8:45

NORTH BOUND
Stations. No. 16. No. 14. No. 20. No. 6.
Terre Haute..... 1:00 p. m. 4:17 a. m.
Indianapolis..... 11:35 a. m. 7:10

Logansport..... 7:00 a. m. 6:05 a. m. 4:35 p. m. 10:40
Plymouth..... 8:24 7:31 5:57 12:08 p. m.
South Bend..... 9:10 3:20 6:30 12:53
St. Joseph..... 10:30 5:35 7:45 2:15

Trains No. 16 and No. 20 run on Sunday only, and all other trains run daily on Sunday only. For complete Time Card, giving all trains and stations, and for full information as to rates, through cars, etc., address
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Effective Thursday, July 7, 1898.

GOING SOUTH.
No. 1. No. 3. No. 5. No. 9. No. 11. No. 13.
Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy.
Sun Sun Sun Sun Sun Sun Sun Sun Sun Sun Sun Sun
Stations. a. m. p. m. a. m. p. m. a. m. p. m. a. m. p. m. a. m. p. m.

Benton Harbor..... 7:00 4:00 8:00 11:00 5:00

*Napier..... 7:09 4:09 8:09 11:09 5:09

*Somerleyton..... 7:11 4:12 8:11 11:11 5:11

*Royalton..... 7:14 4:15 8:14 11:14 5:14

*Hinckman..... 7:21 4:22 8:21 11:21 5:21

*Stemmes..... 7:24 4:25 8:24 11:24 5:24

*Benton Springs..... 7:33 4:34 8:33 11:33 5:33

*Oakland..... 7:42 4:50 9:00 12:12 5:42

*Bainston..... 8:00 5:10 9:25 10:00 12:00 6:00

GOING NORTH.
No. 2. No. 4. No. 6. No. 8. No. 10. No. 12.
Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy. Dy.
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Stations. a. m. p. m. a. m. p. m. a. m. p. m. a. m. p. m.


Buchanan..... 10:00 5:35 5:35 9:30 6:30 4:00

*Oakland..... 10:20 5:53 5:53 9:48 6:48 4:18

*Berrien Springs..... 10:30 6:08 6:08 9:57 6:57 4:27

*Stemmes..... 10:4

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AFTER 7 YEARS.

A. L. WILCOX SELLS THE HOTEL PHOENIX.

The Purchaser is J. W. Deaner of Wabash, a Successful Hotel Manager.

The Phoenix hotel this afternoon passed from the possession of A. L. Wilcox to J. W. Deaner of Wabash. The sale was made this forenoon and possession given immediately after dinner.

Mr. Wilcox assumed management of the hotel on March 19, 1891, over seven years ago and he has made an excellent success, greatly increasing the patronage of the house and making for it a wide and favorable reputation. Mr. Wilcox will take a vacation and it is hoped that he will conclude not to leave the city.

Mr. Deaner, the new proprietor, has for fifteen years been a resident of Wabash—that is called Wabash his home. The past five years he has successfully conducted a hotel at Hot Springs, Ark., and he will spare no effort to keep up and improve the good name of the Phoenix.

LATE BULLETINS.

Washington, Aug. 3.—The president said today that he would call an extra session of the senate just as soon as a treaty of peace was negotiated, but was unable to fix any time. Impression is that it may not be called for two or three months.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Gen. Miles has advanced fully a quarter of the distance to San Juan over the military road from Ponce and in the expected course of events will arrive at the capital by the end of the week. It is regarded as doubtful if the division to be sent to Porto Rico under Gen. Wade will see much hard service.

London, Aug. 3.—A dispatch from Havana reports the arrival there of the German steamer Geiers. The dispatch also reports the attack on the Matanzas batteries by two American cruisers which were repulsed. One Spaniard was wounded during the bombardment.

Chattanooga, Aug. 3.—The 5th Illinois regiment is leaving Camp Thomas this morning for Newport News, where it will join Gen. Grant's brigade and proceed to Porto Rico. Gen. Pollard is critically ill and has been sent to Asheville.

Help is Wanted when the nerves become weak and the appetite fails. Hood's Sarsaparilla gives help by making the blood rich, pure and nourishing. Get only Hood's.

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Have you seen the war pictures at the bike track? Go and see them tonight if you have not. Admission 15c, children 10c.

Don't fail to see the Bombardment of Matanzas

In this wonderful moving picture the Flagship New York and Monitor Puritan are seen in action. The famous final shot of the Puritan from her 13-inch gun, which totally destroyed the Matanzas fort is plainly visible to the audience.

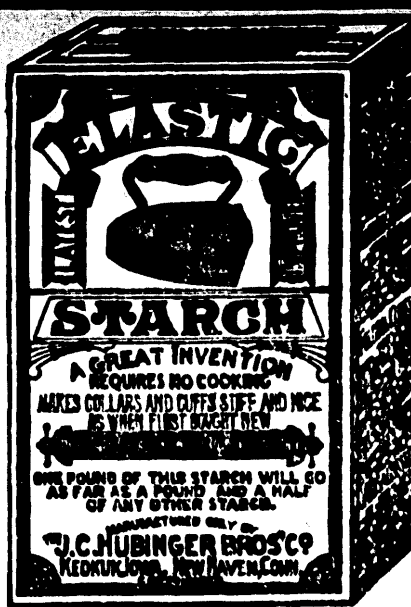
In addition will be shown many war views which are very instructive for the children.

Many funny pictures will be shown and you can get a good laugh thrown in with the entertainment all for 15c, children 10c. Come and bring the children.

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..at the..

Twin City Bicycle Track
Wednesday Evening,
Aug. 3, 8 p. m.



A Beautiful Present

FREE for a few months to all users of the celebrated **ELASTIC STARCH**, (Flat Iron Brand). To induce you to try this brand of starch, so that you may find out for yourself that all claims for its superiority and economy are true, the makers have had prepared, at great expense, a series of

GAME PLAQUES

exact reproductions of the \$10,000 originals by Muville, which will be given you **ABSOLUTELY FREE** by your grocer on conditions named below. These Plaques are 40 inches in circumference, are free of any suggestion of advertising whatever, and will ornament the most elegant apartment. No manufacturing concern ever before gave away such valuable presents to its customers. They are not for sale at any price, and can be obtained only in the manner specified. The subjects are:

American Wild Ducks,
 English Quail,

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 English Snipe.

The birds are handsomely embossed and stand out natural as life. Each Plaque is bordered with a band of gold.

ELASTIC STARCH

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Do not delay. This offer is for a short time only.

Martin's Palace of Trade

St. Joseph, Mich.

Is in possession of the mortgagor and will continue so until all the Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing and Millinery are sold. People who want more than their money's worth will take advantage of this

..Mortgage Sale..

Men's straw hats worth to 30c, 10c.

Men's Rockford socks, worth 8c, 5c.

Men's working shirts, worth 50c (slightly soiled) 25c.

Men's initialed handkerchiefs, a 30c quality, 19c.

Assorted lot men's neckwear up to 35c values, 19c.

Men's gauze underwear, worth 30c, 19c.

Men's summer merino underwear, worth 60c, 37 1/2c.

Men's cuff buttons, assorted styles, worth 25c, 12 1/2c.

Men's negligee shirts, well worth 60c, 42c.

Ladies' embroidered handkerchiefs, some that sold at 30c, 19c.

Mixed lot ladies' handkerchiefs up to 8c values, 4c.

Ladies' summer vests, that were 25 and 30c, 19c

Ladies' summer vests that were 50 and 60c, 36c.

White muslin embroideries, worth to 10 yd, 5c.

Ladies' white aprons, some that were 20c, 15c

Best quality German knitting yarn, worth 30c, 1/4 pound skein, 21c.

Black and colored Saxony yarn, worth 10c skein, 6c.

Broken lot childrens' underwear, up to 25c values, 5c.

25 boys' suits, assorted, all wool clothes, 12 to 18 years, worth to \$7.00, \$3.50.

Men's Cheviot suits, positively all wool, worth \$7.25—\$4.40.

Strongly made bib overalls, regular price 60c—40c,

Fancy woolen bicycle hose, regular price \$1.00—69c.

Black cotton bicycle hose, worth 35c—19c.

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HOME TONIGHT.

Lieut. Harry Pound Now in Chicago.

Will Reach Benton Harbor Tonight.

Had Yellow Fever and Saved by Cuban Doctor.

Lieut. J. H. Pound, of Company I, will be home tonight. His father received the following telegram from Chicago this forenoon:

"Lieut. Case here with me sick. Try to get home tonight."

To a Detroit Free Press correspondent Lieut. Pound said:

"The captain reported, when the order came to sail, that he had been lying in the harbor for a month and suggested that he be allowed to go to Kingston, Jamaica, for supplies adding that the trip would only consume thirty-six hours and be of incalculable benefit. He dwelt especially upon the fact that the water supply was putrid. The only answer he received to this petition was a curt reiteration of the order to sail immediately. Even then he did not give up, but repeated his remonstrance, asking earnestly to be permitted to go to Jamaica for fresh water. His request was refused the second time, so there was nothing to do but obey orders and go."

"Those in authority didn't want to let any of the convalescents go, declaring them to be immune, and insisting that they ought to stay. It was only when one of the army surgeons gave assurance that we would die if we were not sent north that they consented to let us go. Why, Gen. Duffield himself, recovering from the yellow fever, applied personally to be sent north and his request was refused. I believe Gen. Duffield appealed to Washington. I had the yellow fever myself and if it had not been for the Cuban doctors I would have died. One Cuban doctor is worth all the major-generals in the world. The American physician couldn't stand the pressure. But the Cubans know how to treat the disease, and to their efforts and those of the Red Cross nurses many of the stricken soldiers owe their lives."

AMERICAN LINE.

Auxiliary Cruisers Will Soon Be Returned.

Capt. Sigsbee Will Then Command the Texas.

Capt. Philip Will Be Promoted to Rank of Commodore.

New York, Aug. 3.—The American line company expects to soon have its steamers returned by the government. The war is considered over and as soon as peace is formally declared the



CAPTAIN SIGSBEE.

auxiliary cruisers, Yale, Harvard, St. Louis and St. Paul will be turned over to their owners and will resume their former runs.

Capt. Charles D. Sigsbee, the commander of the Maine at the time of her destruction, is now captain on the St. Paul, one of the vessels owned by the American line. He will probably succeed Capt. Philip as commander of the Texas, as the latter will next month be promoted to the rank of commodore and by the naval regulations he must give up command of his ship. The Texas is a sister ship of the Maine.

For diseases of the nose and throat, Dr. Rauschbaum, St. Joseph.

Have you seen the war pictures at the bike track? Go and see them tonight if you have not. Admission 15c, children 10c.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

LOST—POCKETBOOK CONTAINING CERTIFICATE of deposit in First Nat. bank. Return by returning to A. L. Robinson, Bird's Room.

THE FUNERAL.

Capt. Robbins Will Be Buried at St. Joseph.

The funeral of the late Capt. Robbins was held at Grand Haven this afternoon. The remains will arrive at St. Joseph at 11 o'clock tomorrow and burial will occur in the St. Joseph cemetery. The Masonic order will conduct the services at the grave.

NO REPLY YET.

Judge O'Hara Has Not Heard from His Cable.

Judge O'Hara cabled to his son, Barratt O'Hara, a member of Company I, on July 27, at 6:15 o'clock. The cablegram was forwarded to Santiago from New York the same night at 10:24 o'clock. No reply has yet been received.

Judge O'Hara now believes that he would have received prompt answer had he wired to Siboney. At the time he was assured that the proper place to cable was Santiago. The rate of the Western Union to Santiago was \$1.13 per word and the postal 78 cents. He used the Postal.

Moving Picture show tonight at the bicycle park. Come and see it.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

J. L. Alger of Petoskey is visiting his brother, M. C. Alger.

William Stahl, the Buchanan gentleman who recently purchased J. J. Miller's meat business, has moved his family to the city and they are residing at 219 Columbus avenue.

Prof. H. P. Gladden of the Agricultural college, is a guest of the West Michigan nurseries. He is surprised and greatly pleased with the fruit belt of this section.

C. B. Winslow, formerly a prominent resident of the city, was here yesterday. Mr. Winslow has lately been interested with a Seattle firm in constructing boats for the Klondike. He may return to Benton Harbor to live.

COMPANY I COMING HOME

Welcome Them Royally.

Indications from Washington point to a suspension of hostilities for the present at least and allowing the troops to return to their native soil to recuperate their lost vitality.

No doubt most all of our own representatives in the army will be able to secure a 20 days' furlough and their home coming, though the stay may be short, will be a time for joy and thanksgiving.

The brave lads who have "fought, bled and died for their country" have endured such hardships as none of us have ever dreamed of.

No "downy couch" has been theirs except the chilly face of some uncovered rock and the boys will all be joyous at the sight of a REAL bed with REAL sheets and pillows instead of the ones they WISH they had in Cuba.

Look up your bedding and get it all in shape now.

You need new sheets and pillow slips and this is the time to make them while it is so cool.

For pillow slips nothing is quite so nice nor conveniently made up as the "tubing" which comes in three sizes to fit most any pillow.

The muslin is woven in a regular tube so all you have to do is to sew up one end of the tube and put a hem in the other and the slip is finished. See it and also the bleached and unbleached sheeting for 3c per yard at the Enterprise Mercantile Co., 116 E Main St., Geo. B. Warren, Mgr.

ST. JOSEPH.

Mrs. John Needham is quite ill.

The law firm of Kelley & Braclen has been dissolved.

Miss Blanche Smith, of Chicago, is visiting friends in the city.

Edward Riley, who is very ill, is slightly better today.

While endeavoring to arrest a hobo Sunday, Officer Sauerbier had the misfortune to break two fingers of his right hand.

The city council met last night and allowed bills and transacted other business. The various roads leading into the city are in a bad condition and the council will take action and have the roads put in good shape.

Moving Picture show tonight at the bicycle park. Come and see it.

Glasses scientifically fitted, Dr. Rauschbaum, St. Joseph. Work guaranteed.

Lister's Bone Meal.

This famous bone meal which has stood the test of years may be obtained by leaving orders with H. P. Boehm, Benton Harbor, or with the general agent, C. H. FARNUM, Eger.